



Grace Church Family Ministry
Spiritual Milestones

Milestone 1 Parent/Baby Dedication

For some of these questions, complete them independently and then share responses with each other. For some, you can talk through answers together. After completing this exercise, post comments, reflections or questions on the Facebook page about one or more of the questions below.

1. At what time in your life do you remember hearing about God for the first time? Where were you? Discuss responses.
2. Briefly describe your personal faith journey, beginning at the point you mentioned in question #1. Have you received Christ as your personal Lord and Savior? Have you followed obediently in Believer's Baptism? Each parent should complete this separately and then share responses.
3. Thinking back over your childhood, who would you say had a significant influence on your spiritual walk? List all that apply. Discuss responses.
4. Read Deuteronomy 6:4-9. What is the most important thing that we are to teach our children? Discuss together.

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5. Read through the Commitments on page 4 and 5 of the seminar document. Which of these do you sense will be the hardest to fulfill? Why? Discuss together.

6. Dads: Read through material on page 6 and 7. After reading Ephesians 4 and 5, look over the list of instructions from scripture and talk about these with your spouse. How are you doing on these things? How will your effectiveness in these areas affect the lives of your kids? Discuss together.

7. Moms: Read through material on page 7 and 8 regarding Proverbs 31. Look at the characteristics listed and talk with your spouse about these. How are you doing on these things? How will your effectiveness in these areas affect the lives of your kids? Discuss together.

8. Take some time as a couple to pray for one another and for your child(ren). Pray that God would guide you through His Word and His Spirit as you strive to raise your child(ren) in His ways.